AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0030] with the following amended paragraph:

[0030] Figure 4 shows another embodiment of the present invention regarding how extension

portion 400 may be electrically connected with handle portion 410. The device may further

comprise light controls 415, shown optionally disposed on handle portion 410, and may also

comprise a power source, such as cord 420. Figure 4 shows extension portion 400 conforming

substantially along a first longitudinal axis 480 and handle portion 410 conforming substantially

along a second longitudinal axis 485. The intersection of these longitudinal axes forms an acute

angle α 430, and a corresponding obtuse angle 432. Figure 4 shows extension portion 400

bending away from handle axis 485, with light source 405 directing light toward handle axis 485,

or in a plane formed by the acute angle a 430, and hence in a contra angle position. The joint

between extension portion 400 and gripping portion 410, shows an electrical connector 407,

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which may be a standard electronic mating.

Please replace paragraph [0037] with the following amended paragraph:

[0037] Figures 8A-8B, illustrate yet additional variations on the dental device that may be

easily applied to other embodiments described herein, or to other embodiments within the spirit

of this disclosure. For example, the dental curing device may be substantially linear, wherein

extension portion 800 and handle portion 810 both conform substantially along axis 885. The

device may further comprise light controls 815, shown optionally disposed on handle portion

810. Alternatively, it could be said that extension portion 800 and handle portion 810 both

conform along substantially parallel axes. In addition, the inventive dental curing device may

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have a standard battery compartment 850 so that the dental curing device is not limited in motion by an attached power source, e.g., 120 (as shown in Figure 1A). Of course, the dental curing device may also have both a battery source 850 and a power source 120 such that the dental curing device uses rechargeable batteries that recharge when attached to the power source 120.